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TWENTY-NINE YEARS  
EXPERIENCE WITH  
FLORISTS' NEEDS

# Raymond A. Fleck

INCORPORATED

SEEDS - BULBS - PLANTS - CUTTINGS - FLORISTS' SUPPLIES

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## SEASONAL REMINDERS

## ORDER YOUR FALL &amp; CHRISTMAS REQUIREMENTS NOW

## BULBS FOR FORCING OR FALL PLANTING

Hyacinths 17/18 (second size) Top Quality  
BLUESB Grand Maitre, Dark Porcelain  
D King of the Blues, Dark Medium  
D Queen of the Blues, Light

## PINKS

A Gertrude, Deep rose-pink  
A Lady Derby, Clear rose-pink  
B Marconi, Rich rose-pink  
C Queen of Pinks, Bright rose-pink

## REDS

A LaVictoire, Brilliant scarlet  
A Roi des Belges, Deep scarlet

## WHITES

A Edelweiss, Milk white  
A L'Innocense, Pure white  
C LaGrandesse, Pure waxy white

## YELLOW

C City of Haarlem, Pure golden yellow  
C King of the Yellows, Orange yellow  
A Yellow Hammer, Pure yellowA indicates earliest flowering, B second early, etc. Prices:-  
Doz. \$2.50; 25, \$4.35; 50, \$8.45; 100, \$15.50; 500, \$69.50.

## Tulips 11-12 ctm. - full size Top Quality

The letter and number following name of variety indicates  
blooming time and normal height. E for earliest (24) inches  
high. These are packed 250 to bag. Please order in that  
quantity if possible. 250 at 1000 rate.

## DARWIN

Bartington, F 24, Fiery Red	25	100	1000
Princess Elizabeth, F 23, Rosy Pink	\$1.45	\$4.95	\$40.00
Rose Copeland, E 27, Lavender Pink	1.80	5.45	44.50
Wm. Copeland, E 24, Lavender	1.70	4.95	40.00
Wm. Pitt, E 24, Deep Crimson	1.70	5.00	41.00
Yellow Giant, E 28, Golden Yellow	1.80	5.50	46.00
Zwanenburg, F 28, Pure White	1.90	6.00	52.00
Mixture of the above	1.90	5.95	49.50
	1.70	5.50	45.00

## COTTAGE

Albino, F 20, Pure white	1.85	5.95	49.75
Inglecombe, F 18, Yellow	1.85	6.00	46.00

## DOUBLE EARLY

Varieties listed here all bloom about same time.

Couronne D'Or, 12, Rich golden yellow	2.00	7.45	64.75
Electra, 12, Large rose red	1.90	6.75	57.50

Murillo, 10, Rose pink	\$1.80	\$6.00	\$55.00
Orange Nassau, 12, Orange scarlet	1.85	6.60	57.00
Peach Blossom, 12, Pink, flushed white	1.80	6.00	55.00
Tea Rose, 12, Yellow shading to orange	1.80	6.00	55.00
Mixture of above	1.85	6.65	57.50

## CROCUS, top size

White, Blue, Yellow, Purple, separate or mixed. 25, \$ .85  
50, \$1.35 - 100, \$2.50 - 1000, \$21.00.

## NARCISSUS

All types and sizes at correct prices. American or Holland  
grown.

## NARC. PAPERWHITES

14/15 ctm. 1000 per case	100	250	1000
	\$5.95	\$13.50	\$49.50

## PEARL CHIPS for BULB DISHES

White or all colors mixed. 10 lbs. \$1.85, 25 lbs. \$3.65,  
100 lbs. \$11.00.

## LILIES

Calla Aethiopica, clean, healthy

1 1/2 - 1 1/2	100	\$20.00	1000	\$180.00
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## CROFT LILY BULBS

True strain, uniform top quality. Generously graded. For  
instance, 7/8 is graded 7-1/4 to 8. This eliminates the  
size that usually produces only two buds.

Size	Bulbs to case	Price per case
7/8	250	\$45.00
8/9	200	60.00
9/10	150	60.00
10 up	100	52.00

Because Easter is early next year - March 28 - we have ar-  
ranged to pre-cool our Crofts this year. Pot them on ar-  
rival which will be about November 10 to 20 - then place  
under bench till Xmas flowers are out of the way - put up  
on bench and run greenhouses at sixty degrees min. They  
should be just right for Easter sales.You might also add a case or two for cut work in April,  
May, June, etc. May blooms can be had from planting about  
January 1, which we can ship from cold storage. Place  
order now. Plantings about Jan. 15, should give you blooms  
for May & June.

## FREESIA

Mammoth white 5/8-3/4	100, \$6.00	1000, \$49.50
Mammoth yellow 5/8-3/4	100, 6.00	1000, 49.50

We can also supply all other bulbs available.

FRESH TESTED SEEDS  
Forcing Snaps (Antirrhinum)

	tr 1/32 oz.	1/16 oz.	1/8 oz.
Fleck's Pink Jewel	\$3.00	\$4.25	\$8.00
Fleck's White Jewel	2.50	4.25	8.00
Fleck's Bronze Betty	2.50	4.00	7.50
Fleck's Yellow Jewel	2.50	4.50	8.00

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The above are greenhouse produced seeds by a Specialist. All of them have taken prizes, are honorable mention when displayed at New York Florist's Club. Don't overlook Rockwood varieties.

We offer all other originators seed - see our Catalog - Pages 2, 3 & 4.

Other items of flower seeds to get now: Begonia, Calendula, Cyclamen, Cineraria, Larkspur, Forcing Marigolds, Nierembergia, Double Petunias, Primula, Schizanthus, Statice, Stocks,

If you haven't as yet tried

### STOCK, FLECK'S WHITE IMPR'D. #30

do so now. It is 100% double in the field, large flowered, pure white. Good well formed spikes and flower heads. Nothing better. See catalog.

### GRASS SEED

Best time of the year now, to sow Fleck's Lawn Grasses. See catalog, page 42. Prices 10% less than catalog.

### CARNATION CUTTINGS

Some varieties pretty well sold up. Order your requirements now. State when delivery desired. 250 at 1000 rate.

#### WHITES

	100	1000
Arundel	\$12.00	\$100.00
Colonel Blimp	20.00	150.00
Mercury	15.00	125.00
Northland	15.00	125.00
Olivette	8.50	75.00
Puritan	7.00	60.00
White Fisher	8.50	75.00

#### PINKS

	8.50	75.00
Blush Fisher, light pink	20.00	150.00
Chalfont, dark pink	8.50	75.00
D. P. Fisher, deep pink	15.00	125.00
Hercules, light pink	8.50	75.00
Ida, light salmon pink	8.50	75.00
John Britty, deep pink	8.50	75.00
Maytime, rich shell pink	8.50	75.00
Hetta, shell pink	20.00	150.00
Peter Fisher, medium pink	8.50	75.00
Salmon Virginia, salmon pink	12.00	100.00
Virginia, light pink	8.50	75.00
Virginia Miller, deep pink	15.00	125.00
Virginia Rose, medium pink	8.50	75.00

#### REDS

	12.00	100.00
King Cardinal, scarlet	15.00	125.00
No. 16 Red, sport of King Cardinal	20.00	150.00
Seth Parker		
Victory Red, sport of King Cardinal	12.00	100.00
Wm. Sim, vivid scarlet	20.00	150.00
Tom Knipe, scarlet	20.00	150.00

#### YELLOW

	12.00	100.00
Miller's, clear yellow		

#### VARIEGATED

	12.00	100.00
Dairy Maid, white with pink stripes		
One of the best		

	12.00	100.00
Pelargonium, white ground, overlaid with maroon and orchid	12.00	100.00

#### DAISIES 2-1/4"

For Winter cut. Can ship at once or up to end of the year for benching after Mums. State when desired.

	25	100	1000
Nicholson's Giant White	\$3.00	\$10.00	\$90.00
Boston Yellow Improved	3.00	10.00	90.00

These are the best cut varieties. Both grow about same height.

WE OFFER MANY OTHER CUTTINGS, SEEDLINGS AND PLANTS. SEE OUR CATALOG PAGES 44 to 47.

### FLORIST'S SUPPLIES for FALL & CHRISTMAS

Top quality merchandise. Where prices are not mentioned it is due to fact that we expect some decrease. You may order with full confidence that our prices will be correct. Items not mentioned will be found in our catalog beginning on page 54.

#### PICKS, WIRED

	250	1000	5000	10,000
4" Dyed Green	\$40	\$1.75	\$6.50	\$10.50
6" " "	.55	2.00	7.50	13.50
Bundle	1200		5000	10,000
2-1/2" (500 to bdl) plain	.60	1.10	3.90	7.00
3" (400 to bdl) dyed green	.70	1.85	4.50	8.50

#### PICKS, UNWIRED, DYED GREEN

	1000	3000	10,000	12,000
4"	\$80	\$2.25	\$7.00	\$7.45
6" (cartons of 3000)	.90	2.79	-----	10.70

#### FLORAL WATER PICKS

100 - \$2.80	500 - \$13.25	1000 - \$25.50
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#### MADON PLASTIC WATER PICKS

##### WITH RUBBER CAPS

100 - \$2.75	500 - \$12.50	1000 - \$23.00
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#### SPHAGNUM MOSS, DRY

##### BURLAPPED BALES

Bale \$3.75	5 bales @ \$3.50	10 bales @ \$3.25
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#### PHILLY FERN PINS

The good kind, with S shaped top. 10 lb. ctn. \$3.25; 50 lbs. \$14.50. For those who need only a 1000 or 2 we oblige by making up one pound for 65¢.

#### NATURAL & PREPARED FOLIAGE

*Oak, Brown twigs, 10 lb. ctn. \$4.15; 100 lbs. \$37.50*  
*Lycopodium, Prep. Green, 10 lb. ctn. \$4.35*  
*Lycopodium, Prep. Red, \$1.85 lb; 10 lb. ctn. \$15.95*  
*Cape Flowers, Asst'd. colors \$2.45 lb.*  
*Cape Flowers, Natural \$1.95 lb.*

	100	500	1000
Burrs, Sweet Gum, Gold	DW.UT	\$12.50	\$23.00
Red	2.25	10.95	20.00
All other colors	1.80	8.00	15.00

Ass't. of all the above  
*Lotus Pods, Asst'd. Metallic colors: Packed in cartons of 75 for \$4.95; 10 cartons \$47.50.*

#### PALMETTO PALM LEAVES

	100	500	100	500
10"	\$6.95	\$32.00	18"	\$13.95
12"	7.25	35.00	20"	15.80
14"	9.00	38.50	22"	18.50
16"	11.95	45.00	24"	21.00

#### PEPPER GRASS

Painted in 2 tone colors: 1 lb. \$1.65; 5 lbs. \$1.50 lb; 10 lbs. \$1.45 lb.

#### RUSCUS

Red - Triple E quality, bright red. Do not confuse this grade with inferior quality offered at lower prices. 1 lb. \$1.55; 10 lbs. \$1.35 lb; 30 lbs. \$1.25 lb.  
*Green Dyed (not painted) 1 lb. 95¢; 10 lbs. \$6.95*  
*Green Painted, 1 lb. \$1.15; 10 lbs. \$8.95*  
*Silver, 1 lb. \$1.45; 10 lbs. \$1.20 lb; 25 lbs. \$26.50*

#### PINE CONES

Boxes of 100 assorted colors, some 2 tone.	per 100	per 1000
Sizes		
Small	\$2.45	\$21.50
Medium	2.95	25.50
Large	3.45	29.90

## ARTIFICIAL HOLLY BERRIES

Large size, wired, in bright red, blue and white.

3 Gross - \$1.10  
10 Gross - 3.45  
25 Gross - 8.39

## WAXED FLOWERS ARTIFICIAL

Waxed Flowers Artificial, Wire attached. For wreaths and design work and other special decorative uses. Excellent quality, reasonably priced.

	25	50	100
Camellias,	\$1.80	\$2.70	\$5.15
Carnations, colors; Red, Pink, White, White & Pink, Yellow and Pink.	1.40	2.10	3.95
Daffodils,	1.50	2.50	4.85
Dahlias, Cactus	1.85	3.00	5.65
Dahlias, Decorative (large size)	1.80	2.80	5.25
Dahlias, Decorative (small size)	1.30	2.35	4.35
Daisies,	.85	1.45	2.80
Easter Lillies,	1.85	3.50	6.80
Georgines	1.80	2.95	5.50
Poppies (medium large)	1.30	2.35	4.50
Roses	1.25	2.25	4.25
Rosettes	.90	1.60	3.00

## WIRE WREATH FRAMES

Wire Wreath Frames, Box style.

Size	Dozen	Per 100
10	\$2.75	\$19.20
12	2.95	22.40
14	3.32	25.60
16	3.65	28.80
18	4.00	32.00
20	5.10	40.00
22	5.92	48.00
24	6.95	56.00

## EASELS

Easels, Painted green - all sizes, order by doz., 25 or 100

## FOILWRAP

Foilwrap, For pots or special decorations. Rolls 50 ft. by 20 inches wide. Order now.

1 roll 6 rolls 12 rolls 25 rolls

Satin Finish,	\$1.25	\$7.00	\$13.25	\$25.00
Rose Design Embossed,	1.40	8.25	15.95	30.00
Lin-o-weave	1.40	8.25	15.95	30.00
Polka Dot	1.45	8.50	16.25	32.00
Grape Leaf	1.50	8.95	17.50	34.00

Special offer, assortment of the above in colors; doz.

\$15.00; 25 for \$29.50; 50 for \$59.50.

## RIBBONS

Ribbons - New low prices while present supply lasts. All colors. Top quality.

Rayon Corsage #2 (1/2" w)	50 yd. rolls, 90¢ ea.	10 rolls \$8.50
Rayon Corsage #5 (1" w)	50 yd. rolls, \$1.32; 10 rolls \$11.50	
Satin Corsage #2 - 100 yd rolls	\$2.19 roll; 5 rolls \$10.50	
Satin #9 (1-1/2" w)	50 yd. rolls \$2.90 roll; 5 rolls \$13.90	
Satin #40 (3" w)	50 yd. rolls \$4.75 roll; 5 rolls \$21.95	
Satin #120 (4-1/2" w)	50 yd. rolls \$6.55; 5 rolls \$31.95	
Silver Tinsel #4 (7/8" w)	50 yd. rolls \$1.90; 10 rolls \$18.50	
Gold Tinsel #2 (1/2" w)	50 yd. rolls \$2.25; 5 rolls \$10.95	
Gold Tinsel #3 (5/8" w)	50 yd. rolls \$2.95; 5 rolls \$14.35	
Vanity #120 (4-1/2" w)	50 yd. rolls \$6.89; 5 rolls \$33.00	
Crepe Taffeta #3 - 100 yd. rolls	\$2.85; 10 rolls \$27.50.	
Gold or Silver braid, covered soft wire, tube of 144 yards	\$7.65; 2 tubes \$14.50.	

## METTALINES

Mettalines, full 50 yd. bolts in one piece. New low prices. Good Grade; per bolt \$2.95; 12 bolts @ \$2.75 bolt. #1820 per bolt \$2.50; 12 bolts \$28.25.

## NU-FLOWER DYES

Just dip and rinse the flower and you have the desired color. Economical when you need a few flowers of special color. Saves running to the market so often.

### COLORS

AQUA	FUCHSIA
GREY	LAVENDER
PINK	DARK BLUE
CORAL	LIGHT BLUE
GREEN	DARK BROWN
ORCHID	LIGHT BROWN
ORANGE	LEMON YELLOW
VIOLET	GOLDEN YELLOW

1/2 pt. \$1.00; 1 qt. \$2.50; 1/2 gal. \$4.50

## WIRE FOR SHOP USE

### Bright Annealed,

### 12 lb. boxes

Gauge	Cut Length	Box	6 Boxes	12 Boxes
No. 16	18"	\$1.98	\$1.93 ea.	\$1.90 ea.
" 18	"	2.18	2.13 "	2.10 "
" 19	"	2.27	2.21 "	2.17 "
" 20	"	2.36	2.30 "	2.25 "
" 21	"	2.49	2.42 "	2.35 "
" 22	"	2.64	2.56 "	2.48 "
" 23	"	2.87	2.75 "	2.60 "
" 24	"	3.02	2.94 "	2.88 "
" 26	"	3.34	3.28 "	3.20 "
" 20	12"	2.36	2.30 "	2.25 "
" 22	"	2.64	2.56 "	2.48 "

## GALVANIZED STEEL FLOWER VASES

Style No.	Size	Price Each	Per Dozen
57	5 x 5	\$.75	\$8.80
58	5½ x 6	.80	9.30
59	6½ x 7	.95	10.95
65	7½ x 8	1.10	12.50
68	9 x 10	1.40	15.60
67	9 x 11½	1.55	17.30
68	9 x 12½	1.65	18.40
68-B	9 x 15½	1.80	20.30
69	9 x 18	1.85	21.20
70	9 x 23½	2.25	25.95
253	4½ x 10	.95	11.20
254	5½ x 11	1.08	12.30
255	6½ x 12	1.15	12.90
256	6½ x 13½	1.20	13.78
257	6½ x 15	1.35	15.25
258	6½ x 17	1.40	15.70

DOZEN RATE ALLOWED ON HALF DOZEN OF ANY ONE SIZE

## FLECK'S KEYSTONE TUBS

White cedar, bound with heavy wire hoops, electrically welded. Painted green.

Size	Inside Measurements			Weight Each	Price Each
	Top.	Bot.	Depth		
	Inches	Inches	Inches	Pounds	
No. 2	7	5	7	1½	\$1.34
No. 3	8	6	8	2½	1.43
No. 4	9	7	9	2½	1.56
No. 5	10	7½	9	3	1.79
No. 7	12	9	11	4½	2.18
No. 9	14	11	13	7	2.79
No. 11	16	12½	15	9	3.47
No. 13	18	14½	17	12½	4.79

Ask for quotation on lots of 100 or more. We ship twelve tubs for the price of eleven. Ready for delivery about November.

Prices are very sensitive today. If lower when your order is shipped, we will give you the benefit. If higher, we will have to charge the higher rate.

NOTE: See our catalog for many other items such as Scotch Tape, Crystal Sand, Corsage Pins, Bulb Boxes, Center Pieces, Pot Covers, Curly - Q, Beauty Corsage Bags, etc.

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